

## Message Text

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R 221310Z JUN 78  
FM AMEMBASSY PRAGUE  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5624  
INFO AMEMBASSY TAIPEI  
AMEMBASSY MOSCOW  
USLO PEKING  
AMCONSUL HONG KONG

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: PGOV, MG, CZ  
SUBJECT: TSEDENBAL VISIT TO PRAGUE

REF: PRAGUE 1523 (NOTAL)

1. VISIT OF MONGOLIAN STATE AND PARTY LEADER YUMZHAGYN TSEDENBAL TO PRAGUE PRODUCED A NINETY-COLUMN-INCH JOINT DECLARATION, SYMBOLIC OF THE EXTENT OF AGREEMENT POSSIBLE BETWEEN TWO UNSWERVING SOVIET SATELLITES, BUT LITTLE SUBSTANCE.
2. CHARGE FROWICK ATTENDED RECEPTION FOR TSEDENBAL JUNE 15 (REFTTEL) BUT REPORTED NOTHING UNUSUAL. CHINESE AMBASSADOR DID NOT ATTEND, UNDER "STRICT ORDERS" FROM PEKING, AS ONE OF HIS STAFF LATER TOLD US.
3. IN EXCHANGE OF TOASTS IN BRNO JUNE 14 TSEDENBAL OUTDED CZECHOSLOVAK PREMIER STROUGAL IN HIS CONDEMNATION OF THE "GREAT POWER AND HEGEMONIST POLICY AND EXPANSIONISM OF THE MAOIST LEADER-

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SHIP OF CHINA, WHICH IS SPEEDING UP MILITARIZATION OF THE COUNTRY AND OPENLY PROCLAIMING THE THESIS OF THE INEVITABILITY OF ANOTHER WORLD WAR." STROUGAL EXPRESSED CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S SUPPORT FOR THE MONGOLIAN GOVERNMENT'S STAND AGAINST THE "ADVENTURIST POLICY" OF THE PRC, AND CONDEMNED WHAT HE TERMED THE "EXPANSIONIST DEMANDS" OF THE PEKING LEADERSHIP, BUT HE

STOPPED SHORT OF CALLING CHINESE POLICY "A DANGER FOR THE PEACE AND SECURITY OF THE PEOPLES OF ASIA AND THE WHOLE WORLD," AS DID TSEDENBAL.

4. THERE WERE NO NEW DEPARTURES IN CZECHOSLOVAK-MONGOLIAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION, WHICH RESTS ON TRADE OF CZECHOSLOVAK INDUSTRIAL GOODS AND KNOW-HOWMN RETURN FOR MONGOLIAN RAW MATERIALS, PRIMARILY ANIMAL FIBRES.

5. JOINT DECLARATION COVERED EVERY POSSIBLE AREA OF BILATERAL AGREEMENT IN EVEN MORE DETAIL THAN DECLARATION ISSUED AFTER BREZHNEV VISIT. IT ALSO CAME DOWN HEAVILY ON CHINESE POLICY AND EVIL OF MAOISM, ALTHOUGH EXPRESSING DESIRE FOR GOOD INTER-STATE RELATIONS WITH CHINA. IT TOOK PRC TO TASK FOR ITS "CAMPAIGN" AGAINST VIETNAM CONCERNING ETHNIC CHINESE RESIDENT IN VIETNAM AND EXPRESSED FULL SUPPORT FOR VIETNAMESE POLICIES, INCLUDING IN ITS DISPUTE WITH CAMBODIA.

6. DECONTROL AFTER 4 YEARS.  
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